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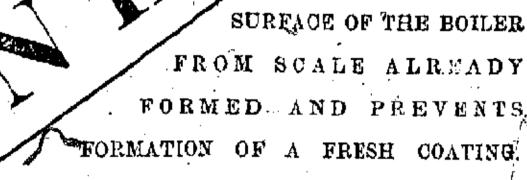
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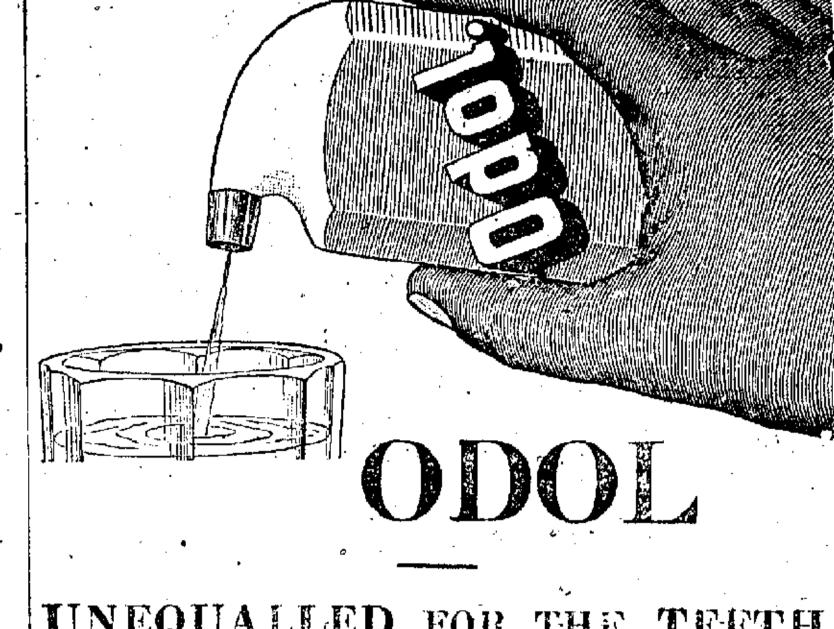
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SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Diomed reports :

The French mail steamer Ernest Simons

reports: Arrived in harbour at 8.30 a.m.,

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-

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The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they eave at Noon. The Money Order Office, will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may

however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

10.30 A.M.—Posting of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes. TATE LETTERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hourthey may be sent on Board with the same Late MONEY LETTERS. -- The Post Office decline all

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THE attention of Passengers is directed waite; for Southampton, Mr G. Nairne; bank notes, coin, or jewellery, and, where to the very cheap rates offered by this for London, Miss Moor, Messrs H. Baker Registration has been neglected, with Make No Line to the Pacific Coast and to the In- and H. E. Ramsey; for Bremen, Mr and Enquiring into alleged losses of such letters TERIOR and EASTERN CITIES of the UNITED Mrs A. Christiansen, Mesers Octo Soder- (Post Guide, Par 80) berg, A. F. Dourang, Printz v. Buchau, and REGISTRATION,-Correspondence can be re-H. E. W. Stoeckel; for Hamburg, Messre gistered for all Private Ship mails up to five Excellent accommodation. First class A. Stöhr and H. P. Hogelund. From minutes before the time for closing; for the Shanghai or Japan contract mails up to a quar-Vogel, Yokotavi Yisaturo, Yamada Kieni-

ter of an hour before; for mails for Europe, America, and Canada, &c., up to an hour be-fore; for Indian, Northern Pacific, and Torres Straits mails, up to half an hour before. LOCAL DELIVERIES. Separate Boxes have been provided for posting Correspondence for

the Town, Kowloon and the Peak. The Boxes are under the Window at the East end of the L. Htzel, H. M. Hiller, W. H. Furness, Versudah facing Queen's Road.

Letters, parcels, &c., for Howloon Point and Special rates allowed to members of Go- children; for Colombo, Baron Korff, and 2 Steamers in Harbour may be posted in the Chinese; for Bombay, Dorabji B. Tata; General Post Office up to 11.80 a.m. and 8.80 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Compound outside the Charge Room up to 12 and 4 o'clock, and in the Pillar Box at the Wharf. Local Rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across them. Covers containing Bank Notes, &c., should be registered. No

Sunday delivery. Letters, &c., for the Peak will be delivered by the 12 and 8.30 o'clock trams only. Correspondence and Parcels for the Peak may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.80 a.m. or 8 p.m. or in the letter boxes in the cars till time of departure. With regard to letters from the Peak, Pillar hores have been placed at Magazine Gap, Victoria Gap, Mount Kellett, Mount Gough, and Figuration Road, which will be cleared at 19,80 and 4 p.m.

Temperature. Per Victoria, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Promitti, Queen's Road.) Horezone, August 18, 1897. Per Diomed, at 8.30 p.m., on Thursday, BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... 29.87 4 P.K. ... 29.80 Per Glengoon, at 3.30 p.m., on Satur-THERMOMETER--- 9 A. M. ... 1 r. K ... 82 & Pilliage ... 83 Per Wingtong, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 78 Do. 17.4. 78 FOR BINGAPORE, SAMABANG & Da. 4 r.u. 78 Do. Marinama aires su B Per Hupsh at 8,00 p.m., on Friday, the

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight -- Pingsucy leaves for London. Daylight. - Candia leaves for N'eaki, &c. Noon. - Diomed leaves for London, &c. 4 p.m.—Hunan leaves for Shanghai, &c. Miscellaneous.

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General Memoranda. SATURDAY, August 21 :-

Refining Company, Limited, from this date to 30th August, both days inclu-MONDAY, August 28:-

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> Quotations Honoxono, August 18, 1897.

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The publication of this usue commenced at 5 45 p m.

The China Itail. HONGEONG, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 1897. STATEMENTS have appeared in a northern contemporary with reference to a hostile tariff which is stated to be under consideration by the United States directed against the Canadian Government and Great Britain. The exaggerated assertions made by the Transfer Books of The China Sugar | China Gazette, if not contradicted, are likely to have a serious effect upon the traffic of the Canadian Pacific Railway Line. The statements are to the effect that provious to the Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of departure of the Empress of China from Shanghai something near akin to consternation was produced amongst numerous Goods per Candia not cleared after 4 shippers of tea, silk, and other China exports to the United States by the receipt of telegrams from their constituents abroad, ordering them to stop shipments by the Canadian Pacific line to all destinations in Goods per Lass unclaimed after this the States, and that later telegrams had Dividend Warrants of The China Sugur explained that the United States Legislature had imposed a differential tariff of 10 per cent upon all tea and silk, and various rates upon other goods entering the States via Canada. The statement is further that in consequence of this unwelcome news shippers rushed off wildly to cancel their freight and about 700 tons, in all, had to be shut out at Shanghai, while Hongkong, Amoy, Foochow, and the heavy shipments from Japan to the States would also have to be counted into the loss to the C.P.R. We learn on inquiry from Mr D. E. Brown, General Agent of the C.P.R., that there is absolutely no truth in the report circulated that a differential tariff had been imposed. Advices from the head office of the Company, at Montreal, are to the effect that the tariff which contemplates an additional imposition on imports to the United States via Canada is simply under discussion, and nothing has been settled. It is considered by all who are acquainted with the situation that the report is too serious to be true, as it means almost an abrogationof the treaty between Great Britain and the States pursuing such a course the Canadian Government would no doubt be prepared to take into consideration the propriety of at once, by way of retaliation, impos-

United States. In the event of the United | The ing duties on goods entering Canada via the United States. It is thought by business men, however, that such child's play legislation on the part of the United States would not be tolerated, as it would simply result in preventing future shipments to Canada via the United States, either by Pacific Coast ports or via the Atlantic ports of Boston, New York, etc. There is no denying the fact that these absurd rumours have had the effect of injuring the shipments of the C.P.R., for the time being, but not to the exaggerated extent which our Shanghai contemporary intimates. It is believed that this movement against Great Britain-though by no means a new thing-may have been prompted

by the proposal made by Canada to grant special privileges to goods entering the Dominion from ports in the British Empire. But whother this be the case or not, it is certain that notice would be given of any violent change such as that now credited to the United States Government. Besides, if such unreasonable action be taken by Washington, it is abundantly clear that such a weapon can cut both ways. All goods for Canadian ports, if taken direct to Canada, will perhaps outweigh the loss sought to be saddled on British shippers-not only at this end of

the line, but also on the Atlantic side. New Piano and Organ Repairing Material and Machinery just to hand; also the latest Music. W. Robinson & Co.

The final decision (says the Navy League Journal) to establish a line of 20-knot mail steamers to Canada is most satisfactory. Of late years we have built very few ocean steamers of high speed, and in consequence we have been falling behind Germany. Even as it is, she was or is building auxiliary cruisers which are to have a seaall of which have been obtained from the speed of 23 knots, and which are faster than anything we possess. Such is the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, launched for the Norddeutscher Lloyd only the other day. She is of 25,000 tons displacement, and 30,000 horse-power; her length is 643 ft. The damage such a ship, with her immense coal supply, could inflict upon our commerce is simply incalculable, and we have not a warship or an auxiliary cruiser which could overtake her. The first four vessels for the new Canadian line are to have trial speeds of 21 knots, to be of 10,000 tons displacement, and to have a length of 520 ft. They will not compare with the Haiser Wilhelm or the Oceanic, but they will, without question, be useful

> The drawings which have been made by the ioint architects, Messrs G. J. Morrison, F. M. Gratton, and J. Smedley, for Mr Gilbert Reid's proposed International Institute at Peking are very attractive, says the N.-C. Daily News. Fighteen mow of land are required, and on this plot it is proposed to erect a central Lecture Hall to seat 1,500 | appointed Inspector of Machinery at Hong. people, with galleries to hold another 500, and a series of class rooms under the galleries. Large reception rooms, with the necessary Professors rooms, living-rooms, etc. form part of this building. There are no high architectural features, so that Chinese prejudice may not be aroused, the Band of the West Yorkshire Reginaissance, which allows of brick being the mean will play the following programme at principal material. Two wings, compacted the Officers' Mess this avening, the 18th with the main ball by covered passages. contain the one, a museum, and the other. August :-e library and resding room, with the ne-cessary subsidiary rooms. The buildings are all two-storied. The whole group is so arranged that any one portion cast be erected separately without presenting an incongructs or unitained appearance. The sievation is both and autoschive and rise NOT BE SAFERSHIPS SPEEDSON OF SAFERS

LOCAL AND GENERAL

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.) OUTWARD BOUND :- Lochtay, St. Ninian, July 27; Dardanus, Laurel Branch, Bengloe, 30; Gisela, Hertha, August 3; Elm Branch, Flintshire, Lady Furness, 8; Macduff, Pyrrhus, Sumatra, Yarra, Glaucus, St. Jerome, 10; Oolong, Helene Rickmers, 16; Glenartney, Sydney, Teucer, Geris, 17, HOMEWARD BOUND :- Socotra, July 6; Sunda, 13; St. Andrews, 23; Hysm, 28; Aladdin, 30; Thelda, August 3; Benledi, Formosa, Dorothea Rickmers. Ellen Rickmers, 6; Teenkai, Sachsen, 13. VESSELS PASSED ANJER.

OUTWARD :- June 28.—British 4-masted barque Bandancira for Nagasaki, from Delaware Bay March 14. June 29 .--German ship Peru for Hakodate, from Barry Dock March 25. June 29.—American ship Wm. H. Conner for Shanghai, from New York March 24. June 29 .---American ship Com. C. H. Allen for Yokohama, from New York March 15. June 29 .- American ship Edenballymore for Shanghai, from New York March 17. June 29.—British 4-m. barque Falls o Ettrick for Anjer, f.o., from New York Fels. 20. July 2.-Norwegien barque Columba for Bangkek, from Delagon Bay May 28. July 2.—British ship Wm. Talie for Nagasaki, from Philadelphia March 26. July 3 .- British ship Lord Wolseley for Yokohama, from Pan. sacola Feb. 23. July 0. British barque Benaven for Hiogo, from Philadelphia March 24. July 9. - German ship Richard Rickmers for Singapore, from Cardiff April 2. July 12 .- Gorman ship Kaiser for Singapore, from Newcastle, N.S.W., May 29.

HOMEWARD: -June 24. -Italian barque Maria Accama for Liverpool, from Singapore May 19. June 26.—British barque Engelhorn for Boston, from Cebu April 15. July 12.—British ship Sierra Segura for Falmouth, from Saigon June 2. July 13, -British barque Cambusdoon for New York, from Singapore. July 14 .--Hawaiian barque Fooling Sucy for New York, from Manila May 25.

The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Robilla, with the ENGLISH MAIL of 23rd July, left Singapore on Sunday, the 15th Aug., at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 20th Aug., at about 6 p.m. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 17th June.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India, from Vancouver, arrived at Yokohama on Monday, the 16th inst., at 6 a.m., and left same day at 4 p.m. for Kobe. where she is due on Tuesday, the 17th inst., at 3 p.m. O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Doric, with the

AMERICAN MAIL of 27th July, left Yokohama on Monday, the 16th Aug., at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 24th Aug. The Imp. German Mail s. s. Prinz Heinrich, carrying the German Mails with

dates from Berlin of the 26th July, left Colombo on the 14th Aug., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 25th Aug. The P. M. Co.'s s. s. China, with mails

&c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 5th Aug.

Steamers Expected.

The C. N. Co. s str. Taiman, from Australian Ports, left Port Darwin on the 10th August, and may be expected to . arrive here on or about the 19th Aug. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Victoria, from Tacoma for Hongkong, left Shanghai at midnight on the night of 17th Aug. for this port. The Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Melpomene, left

Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 12th Aug The D. D. R. etr. Erato, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 14th Aug., and may be expected here on or about the 19th Aug.

The s. s. Lombard, from New York, for Hongkong, left Singapore on Saturday morning, the 14th Aug., and is due here on or about the 20th Aug. The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Japan left Sings

pore for this port on the 14th Aug., at The N. Y. K. s. s. Sanuki Maru, from Europe, left Singapore for this port on the morning of 17th Aug., and is expected to srrive here on the evening

of the 21st Aug. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ixion, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the morning of 17th Aug., and may be expect-

ed here on or about Monday, 23rd he C. M. Co.'s s. s. Oolong, from Glas' gow and Liverpool, passed the Canal

on the 16th Aug., and may be considered due at Singspore on or about the 3rd September.

The N. G. I. s. s. Letimbro left Bombay for this port on the 9th Aug., and is due, here on or about the 26th Aug. The R. L. s. s. Helene Rickmers, from Middiesbro'. Antwerp and Hamburg, passed the Canal on the 16th Aug., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 7th September. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Olympia sailed fram

Tacoma, Washington, for this port via Japan on the 14th Aug. Latest Advices. The R. M. Line str. Maria Rickmers. from Antwerp and Hamburg, left Singapore on the 17th Aug. for this'

port, and may be considered due here on or about the 23rd Aug. on the 17th Aug. at 5 p.m.

The s. s. Kutsong, from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port The N. Y. K. s. s. Sagami Maric, from Melbourne &c., left Thursday Island

for this port on the afternoon of the 17th Aug., and is expected to arrive here on the 28th Aug. The N. Y. K. s. e. Idauni Maru, from Bombay &c., left Singapore for this port on the evening of 17th Aug., and

is expected to arrive here on the 23rd

Mr. John Young Mayston, R.N., has been kong. It is supposed that he will arrive here early in December, when Mr Canter, who will have completed three years in the appointment, will return to England.

Parent Muser boxes, Violina (fine models).

that Hankow was flooded.

Warring for the homeward mail of this date, Mr J. Y. Vornon says in his share market-preport :- The market continues Ma H. Wellby Cooke, who met with great dull and inactive and there is very little business of any consequence to report. The continued high rate of exchange between this and Shanghai, the low rate of sterling, and the over speculation and consequent depression in mining stock appear to be the chief causes of the period of inactivity which has been the ruling feature in our market for some time past.

A FATAL accident took place yesterday morning, about nine o'clock, on board the British stoamer Euplectela, lying at Mossrs Arnhold Karberg's kerosine oil tanks at Taihole was struck on the head by a heavy iron bucket which was flung down the shoot. leading to the stokehole. The Chinaman received serious injuries to his head, and he was immediately attended to and sent to the hospital, where he died at twenty minutes past one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The affair was a pure accident. The man who threw the bucket down the | City of Rio, Skuld, Taiyick, Sullberg, shoot has been detained by the Police pending the Magisterial inquiry.

For the encouragement of more general shooting practice the S.V. Artillery have instituted a new competition, in which an old shot will enter with a new one, one helping the other, and the best combinations carrying off the prizes. This will serve to enable a large number of indifferent markemen to obtain the invaluable lessons that none but the old marksman can the Hongkong Rifle Association ! Has it, like so many other Hongkong institutions, | noon. snuffed out from sheer inanition? 'Or is it merely reposing 'in the hope of a blessed horeafter?"

Shanghar does not like the postal arrangeacceleration. The N.-C. Daily News | ceptance was Rs. 98, a 5, 3.88 pies. states 'that the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce is protesting against the new schedule enforced on the P. & O. Co. by the General Post Office, London, by which Monday will be the English mail-day here, so that the Saturday half-holiday and the eign Affairs :-Sunday holiday will be grievously interfermight as well suffer as Hongkong, Singapore or Colombo, and as Hongkong had to do in days gone by. Some people seem to keep it. If they agitate for mail acceleration they must put up with the inconvenience of a dislocated half-holiday, and if they must have a half-holiday, which Hongkong does not enjoy, the Shanghai folks must take it on some other day. The new arrangement will suit Hongkong, and ought to give an opportunity for worshipping at the shrine of Saint Lubbock. If Shanghai petitions against the proposed arrangement, Hongkong should send a counter petition in favour.

Ma E. Von den Hoff, who described him self as a merchant on his way to Manila summoned two chair-coolies to appear manding money under false pretences. The complainant on emerging from the two chair-coolies who demanded their fare, as they stated the complainant had previously engaged them. Complainant refused to listen to their demands and attempted to enter a ricksha, and a constable of about 3.15 miles, and the service was being summoned to the scene by the com- started on July 22. motion took the complainant and the chair coolies up to the Central Pelice Station. The coolies explained to Inspector Hannah that the complainant had previously engag- actively prohibit the export of the cereal ed them and they had carried him to the Hotel, where he remained for half-an-hour. and on emerging was going to enter 'ricksha and drive off without paying The Inspector said the complainant was slightly intoxicated, and this charge being preferred against him paid twenty cents to the coolies as their payment.—(Vol. Mr Tim was longing to say something here to see the International Yaoht Race of sufficient solidity and promise in the payment.—(Vol. Mr Tim was longing to say something the this charge being preferred against him tracy and obtained a summons. Mr Wodehouse endeavoured to compromise matters languages, English, French, and German. future time be made, the answer of came in about that time and sat next to Mr oblivion. The sooner this happens the cans, or at raising the value of the latter disabuse the public mind that Russia or by stating that the coolies had evidently They were very sorry that they couldn't Spain has invariably been that they Ballour, and when there is a Chamberlain better American sportsmen will be pleased. or Spanish dellars to the detriment of the France have anything to do with Shang's den Hoff, however, persisted that that could not be, as he was 'queerly dressed for Hongkong: 'How queer?' asked the Magistrate. Complainant said he was dressed in the same clothes as he was wenring that day—a khaki knickerbocker suit, correspondents in the capitals of Europe, correspondents in the capitals of Europe, and long brown boots. He and as the Editor of the Far-Bast visited pay the Manila-ranson offended bitterly the did not think there would be another personal pride. Now here is a sum of Italy, Switzerland and Holland, he found and Holland, he found these letters of great assistance. Mr Fukai hundred and thirty-four years to this countain the capitals of Europe, and I was delighted, because I couldn't gotten. They are confident, however, that the capitals of Europe, and I was delighted, because I couldn't gotten. They are confident, however, the capitals of Europe, and I was delighted, because I couldn't gotten. They are confident, however, the capitals of Europe, and I was delighted, because I couldn't bank to the large before the capital to divide once more. When they came having his own it counts the large before the capital to the past ill-feeling be fore the capital to divide once more. When they came have the capital to divide once more. They are confident, however, that they are confident, however, the capital to divide once more. They are confident, however, the capital to divide once more to the past ill-feeling be fore the capital to divide once more. 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That sum, at even 3 per bear to think of Mr. Tim having his own it cannot be long before the good sense that complainant was their fare, recoming the people of London, and this good order every thirty-three years, and now there. As we drove home I thought it all over, sides of the Atlantic will overcome any ing him by his 'queerness' of dress. The maintained in that great city. He naively fore, merely at simple interest, amounts to What a peaceful, comfortable life the difficulties that still remain in the way of a Magistrate said he was sorry complainant adds. To understand England's position P2,500,000, and at compound interest members of Parliament have Nobody reconciliation. L. and C. Express. had been put to such inconvenience, but home. The world you must see Magishmen at would be immeasurably greater. The time takes any notice of anyone except himself. under the circumstances he saw no reason to punish the coolies, and dismissed them from the bar.

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Last week, it was reported in Shanghai Tux Sanitary Board meets to-morrow at 4,15 p.m. The principal item of business is 'Correspondence having reference to the Quarantine Regulations.'

success in Shanghai, Tientsin, and Peking, has just arrived from the north with his Animatoscope which he proposes to exhibit in the City Hall, opening on Saturday night. During his visit to Peking, Mr Wellby Cooke showed at the British and other Legations, and it may be interesting to state that Sir Claude Macdonald was so pleased with the skirt dancer, Lottie Colling, that he asked for a repetition of the picture. The pictures in Mr Wellby Cooke's collection are all likely to interest the Hongkong public-King's Road, Brighkoktsui. A Chinaman down in the stoke- ton; cycliste in Hyde Park, the Czar's visit to Paris, a Review at Aldershot, Neweastle Railway Station, &c. None of the pictures are objectionable, and the exhibition may be visited by anyone. In fact, the animatoscope was exceedingly poliular with ladies and children in the northern

> VESSELS AT THE DOCKS :- At Koroloon-Framnes, Phra Chom Klao.

Aberdeen .- Benlarig, Hausa. Cosmopolitan .- West York, Deucalion.

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAILA'].

London, August 16. THE RECENT DUEL.

The duel between Count Turin and Prince Henri was fought in five assaults give, and should greatly further and ad- of four minutes each. The Prince was hit by a small penalty by the Magistrate. But vance the shooting standard of the Com- on the shoulder at the outset, but the skin pany, which already boasts the greatest was barely pierced. The wound in the ment Civil Hospitol, after his depositions number of fine shots in the Corps. The abdomen is serious, but the intestines are system might well be adopted in Hongkong. | not perforated. The Prince, after the re-Many young marksmen are deterred from ceipt of this wound, half rising from the Ho paid me some money; the money was going to the ranges because of their inabi- ground, shook Count Turin by the hand. lity to compete with the older men with and afterwards walked to his carriage withany hope of success. What has come over out aid. The Count was morely scratched on the hand, and left for Italy in the after-

THE NEW INDIAN LOAN.

Tenders for the three erors loan amounted to Rs. 59,731,500. The minimum rate accepted was 98.1, at which applicants rements that will come in force with the mail coived 67.20%. The average rate of ac-

> In the course of a debate in the House of Commons on the Consular Service, the following reference was made to China by Mr him. You see by giving way to your We walked down to the House of Lords | Manila, as we already know, horrible factories are completed the supply will be-G. N. Curzon, Under Secretary for For-

the Forest of Dean had called attention to ing guilty. The sentence of the Court | Kitchen and Refreshment-rooms | Bill). ed with. Much the Orneral Post Office a passage in a book of his (Mr Curzon's), upon you is that you be imprisoned for The House of Lords had already discussed ears of the Viceroy twill care for the Shanghai protest. Some in which great stress was faid on the three months with hard labour. organization of our Consular service in the The Court was then adjourned till Friday now, and t Far East and the necessity for having a lat ten o'clock. body of specially qualified men for the work. The Government had not lost sight | journment of the Court, an old Chinese of that necessity, and at present they were | couple, said to be the parents of the dere-organizing the Consular establishment | ceased, advanced to the centre of the Court, inagine they should eat their cake and yet in the Far East with a view to putting it and on learning the sentence knelt down on a basis somewhat analogous to that of and expressed their grief by a loud wailing. the Indian Service. An examination was being provided for, and the intention was to get a higher class of candidate. For the work in these Eastern countries special qualifications and training were required, and no effort would be spared by the Government to secure them. But he did not agree with the right hon, baronet that the case of her Majesty's present representative at Peking was an instance of the salutary rule which he had mentioned being country which is ill-equipped to face it, I ing little gentleman, with a large comforter ignored to the detriment of the public service. It was true that Sir Claudo Macdonald had never been in China or the Far East before, but since his appointment the Foreign Office had had an absolute concurratice of testimony from every sourcediplomatic, commercial, and others—that a more industrious, active, and capable reoresentative of British interests in China the Magistracy to-day, on a charge of the there had never been. He had received a letter from an Englishman who, having been resident in China for 20 or 30 years. knew most about the country, saying that Colonial Hotel yesterday was accosted by Sir C. Macdonald was one of the greatest

> between Makung (the principal town in the Pescadores) and Fisher Island, a distance

In consequence of rice getting scarce an prices increasing exorbitantly, the Chinese government has deemed it recessary foreign lands: Strict instructions toward this end (says the Shanghai Daily Press) are on the way to the Customs authorities at all the ports.

to Java visited the new garrison quarters paid in money and the other half in bills about the advantage modern schools had pathy they deserve. at Tjimahi. They were accompanied by a upon the Spanish Treasury. These bills over National schools, for the children

and is about to resume his duties. Mr is no stipulation of any kind in upset again. Europe, was the energy, and the civility of cent. simple interest, would double itself | way!

eggs were atolen'l Clubrate You can see yourself they've been posched.

W. Robinson & Co., Plane and Musical | You say he contributes to the magazines Instrument specialists and expert. Work- said the litterary girl. Yes, replied his phone and Pactory, Duddell St. | Chow Meet Laything morth using | Yes

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Hon. Sir John Carrington, Chief. Justice. ) Wednesday, August 18.

Hon. W. M. Goodman, Attorney-General, intimated that a murder case was down on the calendar. He had just received the depositions of the case, and would be more convenient to himself, and Mr Francis, who appeared for the defence, if the hearing of the case was adjourned

His Lordship fixed Friday at ten o'clock for the hearing of the case.

MANSLAUGHTER

Cheung Tsat was charged with the manslaughter of Li Chung on August 18. Prisoner pleaded guilty. The Attorney-General said this was in which he in pressed for a heavy punishment. prisoner was employed at a at 47 Nullah Lane, where marine delicacios were sold, and the deceased man was cook in the service of a coal coolie. He was sent to buy some provisions, and having some beef in his basket, he went to the shop to buy some sea-weed. A dispute arese about a few cash. Deceased's account was that the man gave him short weight and the account the prisoner gave was that the money paid him was short. Whatever the merits of that dispute, it appears the prisoner struck deceased a blow on the side just as he got to the shop door. Prisonor stated it was with his open hand and the witnesses did not say it was a heavy blbw. The man was suffering from an enlarged spleen. The proper weight of the normal spleen was five ounces, but in this case the man's spleen was about twelve

to receive rupture of the spleen from a slight blow. Technically the prisoner was guilty of manslaughter. If it had not been for the size of this man's spleen, it would have been an ordinary assault of one coolie upon another, which would have been met as a result of that blow deceased died three or four hours afterwards at the Govern- had been sent by one of the Members for had been taken by the Magistrate.

ounces, and as it cannot extend back-

wards the enlarged spleen bulged out

Prisoner made the following statement— Deceased came to our shop to buy things. not enough for the goods. I asked him to pay the proper amount. He took hold of a scale and struck at the.

His Lordship-That is not in the evidence; nobody else said that. Prisoner-I have nothing further to say.

I ask your Lordship for mercy. His Lordship said—It is stated point of law of the crime of manslaughter. thing to do. -At the same time, as the Attorney-General you did an unlawful act. If he did not thoughtless of him to talk about idiots so strike you, you had no business to strike soon after Sir Thomas' speech.

While the usher was intimating the ad-

IS MANILA BRITISH PROPERTY AN INTERESTING LETTER.

A correspondent writes to the Financial News :- 'In connection with the continued trouble which Spain is having with her expense which the fighting must be to a venture to suggest that, as these islands belong by right to Great Britain, Great I of day that a group of islands long believe. How could be face the Terrace regarded as inslienably the property of when his speech had fallen so flat and after Spain really belongs to Great Britain; but Mr Tim's hint? such is the fact. Manila, built about 1573, Suddenly a policeman interrupted us all was captured by the English on October 6. I by calling out in a voice of thunder 'Divi 1762. The expedition which effected the sion!' All the fun was spoiled then, and capture had been fitted out at Madras the M.P.'s all rushed wildly into the under Admiral Cornish and Colonel W. House. In a minute they were all off English Ministers who had ever been sent | Draper. Manila, long a great centre of | Our member friend chose the 'noes side,' Spanish commerce, was at that time an | he told me afterwards, but he didn't know especially valuable prize, for numerous what he had voted for. I suppose it Submarine telephone wires have been laid rich cargoes lay in the bay; and the wouldn't be possible for members to follow archbishop of the place, anxious to save everything the others discuss. I can't both the islands and the many cargoes, help thinking, though, it is rather a bad engaged, on behalf of his Imperial mes- principle to vote when you don't know ter the King of Spain, to ransom them for against or for what you are voting. How-£1,000,000. Mr Lecky, in "England in ever, I trust them-they are gentlemen, the Eighteenth Century," says of this all except the one who has been in prison. transaction :- 'The news of the conquest of Manila and the other Philippine Islands to an argument between three gentlemen. did not arrive until after the preliminaries | They chose a very uninteresting subject to had been signed, and these valuable posses- | discuss. It was 'Shall the Government sions were in consequence restored without take back £4000 it had provised the any equivalent. When Manila was cap- National and modern schools in Iroland at tured, the private property of the inhabit. the heginning of the financial year? ants was saved from plunder on the condition of a payment of a ransom of keep true to his word, whereupon Mr Dillon THREE Japanese officers who are on a visit £1,000,000 sterling, one-half of which was (who appeared utterly discontented) talked

CANTON NOTES. Canton, August 18.

Yesterday a band of ruffians forcibly carried off two women from a disreputable street in the western suburbs' of Canton. Firearms were used to keep their pursuers in check, and three persons passing through the Tenth Ward of the City were wounded. It is asserted that the women were seized for sale, and that the officials will make little effort to capture and punish the ruffians because of the immoral character of the houses from which the women were abducted. An angry mob might be extime, even where the civil authority is or who were not of their way of thinking, awake and backed by efficient force; but immediately the rebellion should break out play the successful bully, pass in triumph | exceedingly well, as subsequent events through main thoroughfores of a large city, I have sorrowfully proved.) wound some innocent onlookers in the streets, and then disappear with good not resort to arms in spite of this pious hope that the officials will simply wink at | encouragement, it was because some of the their proceedings, implies a state of civil Civil and Military Governors would not responsible head of the place where the his nationals with foreigners. It is needless centrel most agreeable and encouraging to | yield, nor allow themselves so easily the reprobate and disorderly. THE PLACUE.

There is a report that the monks of the Ting-U-Tsz of Shiu Hing Fu have temporarily fled from the monastery to escape the bubonic plague. Of the monks formerly in residence, it is said that twenty or thirty died in the space of a few days. There is no indication of the presence of at the side, and that made him liable plague in Canton.

> IN THE COMMONS. FROM THE LADIES' GALLERY. -A MEMORY

The following bright little sketch appears in the Glasgow Evening Citizen, to whom it Glasgow. The sketch is from the pen o Miss Mildred Coughtrie, who is not unknown in Hongkong :--

When we arrived we were allowed to look through a window. Standing on a seat at the door of the House. Sir Thomas Esmond was rehearsing his speech on what innocent people in Manila and the Pro- barrels as compared with the yield of last attitude of the Chinese Authorities, who in we supposed to be the 'Manhood Suffrage' Bill. He looked rather nervous and hot; shot in the fields or outside the towns found still short to meet the requirements, written contracts entered into between poor fellow. We thought it a pity that he or villages, without making any enquiries The price will therefore never fall in the Chinese and foreigners, and that they you should excite himself so, because not one or giving a word of warning, as the self- future and it may rise. When all the fac- decline to make any attempt to do so. clearly caused the death of this man single gentleman listened to him; they titled King of Malabon, Lieutenant Miguel tories have enlarged their works the The Committee have at once addressed the and you caused his death in an unlawful didn't even divide when he had, finished, Ros, of the Civil Guard, did in Malabon increase of the yield will be considerable. Senior Consul on the subject, emphatically manner. Therefore, you are guilty in which is generally considered the right and Navotas, of which we have published A branch of the Asano Cement Works protesting against the admissibility for a

Mr Tim Healy then stood up and talked has kindly said on your behalf, the degree about 'institutions for idiots.' (I noticed of your guilt is very slight. You only gave | Sir Thomas looked very uncomfortable and him a slight blow and the death of the man rather conscious.) Mr Tim may be a very was owing to the fact that he had a very good speaker and a very tine gentleman, diseased spleen. When you struck him but I don't like him. I think it was very

temper you caused the death of that boy. after this and through the lobby of the cruelties were committed and withheld come greater the demand, but in face of I will take into consideration all the cir- contents, and through a room in which from the knowledge of General Blanco. various public and private undertakings cumstances of the case, and also the fact the Lord Chancellor of Ireland was writing Such were the scenes that happened in the springing up in succession such as the The right hon, baronet the member for showing that you are sorry for it by plead- an essay (on, most likely, the subject of the first few months of the insurrection, and improvements of harbours, extension of

this topic, evidently, for it was teatime - Although probibited by the Chief Author it can hardly be expected that the supply were directed towards the tea-tables on the tained is termented, beaten, and outraged produce of two or three cement works will terrace. We had strawberries and cream | with impunity. In the Commandant's | be absorbed by it alone. - Asahi. and cakes, and our member friend (whom i office, only very lately, a young native we cross-questioned incessantly) told us a named Juan Zamora, belonging to a resgreat deal about the members who were pectable family in the capital, was most strolling about. There was one old gentle- barbarously beaten, and on being given man with a washed out-looking grey hat his liberty the Lieutenant in charge and uncanny boots: he was worth, we were ! threatened him with re-arrest and death told, a million and a quarter, because he if he dared to go to General Lachambre, had gone in for coal some months before.

There was another, too, who had been in prison, we learned, to my astonishment; of savagery of which he had been he wished the police wouldn't watch him so the victim. If such things happen Philippine possessions, and the enormous attentively, I noticed; and then there was in the Capital, imagine what is happening Sir Blundell Maple listening to an ill-look- in the provinces lieve Spain of the troubles in which mensely. Somehow I couldn't help think. and low sentiments—in fact, all detestable their possession involves her. It may ing of the snubbing poor Sir Thomas had human qualities -- are the exclusive patriseem a strange thing to say at this time i received—and he went home to tea, I

From the Ladies' Gallery we then listened

Mr Balfour thought it only honourable to

has now come, in my opinion, for England They have easy and cosy seats (that can be CLAUDE To you think your father would to politely but firmly ask for the payment used as assas, by the bye). They need offer me normal violence if I were to Frankla What makes you think the of this longstanding debt either in cash or never use their minds much augiche tea is in the shape of the islands themselves. I excellent. Only I wish Mr Timewould so sak him for you? Mabel—No; but I think venture to think the proposal is peculiarly on a tour of inspection to all the schools he will if you don't pretty soon. opportune because it would relieve Spain (modern and National) in Great Britain for soly to the prosperit of the should by and be sepplor.

VERITAS PREVALEBIT. (Translated from the Madrid Daily Paper El Pais, of 30th June 1897.)

NOTES FOR HISTORIANS. In continuation of our article published Manila special advices, from which we make the following extracts:-

Before the present insurrection, instigat ed by the Friars broke out, the latter had already secretly advised all the vicars provincial (i.e. rural deans), in order tha they, in combination with the rest of the parish priests, might devise some means implicate, or cause to be implicated, all pected to 'have their own way' for a short | those persons who were obnoxious to them, for ten villains to be able in midday to in Manila. (They managed their mission If some of the provinces of Luzon did

> be made a tool of by malicious inten- Viceroy Liu, and also a clausman-a vital transactions between foreigners and tions (for instance, the Governor of consideration in judging Chinese matters, Chinese, Pangasinan, a stronghold of the Doininican | —there seems to be some chance of the Friars, who had kindly furnished him with unlucky Commandant only getting a no- take the carliest opportunity of entering a long list of the inhabitants they wanted minal paishment, such as degradation of their emphatic protest against the admissibanished, - a list shown the writer by the two steps in rank, and the payment to the bility for a sigle moment of any such con-Governor himself); but as usual some of provincial exchequer of a portion of the tention as the Chinese Authorities are anfear of receiving a return ticket for Spain, ance being charged to 'Profit and Loss Ac- trust that their protest will receive the or being removed for 'other causes,' conse- count.' Thus 'officially speaking' the endorsement of the Consular Body, and quently some persons were 'implicated' in losses sustained by the government, would that through them the matter will be strongnearly every province of Luzon and be made to appear on paper equal to a sum | ly represented to the Diplomatic Corps at

The veteran Guard of Manila, and above | Daily News. all that abominable body of secret policepaid by the Friars, whose Commander-inchief was Manuel Luengo, the Civil Governor of Manila, the Volunteers, Civil Guards, and some Civil and Military Governors, in-

rattans, &c., &c.

of the inquisition, where every native de- Harbour works commencing its work the who was then acting Governor General, and complain of the iniquitous act

The belief is gradually being imbued into round his throat, talk about the Public the minds of the Filipines to the grave Health Bill. There were many, many more, detriment of Spain, that injustice, pillage, and they were all enjoying themselves im- envy, bad faith, barbarity, shamelessness, mony of Spanish authorities.

> - Note of Translator. - The foregoing may appear incredible, but is nevertheless only too true, and I can corroborate every word. These things and even far worse happened whilst I was in Manila and the Provinces. and came daily under my notice. Many will ask, how, such being the case, the civilized nations did not step in and interfere in the name of humanity? The only reason I can assign is, that such barbarity was thought to bu too preposterous to perpetrated by a nation priding itself on its nobility! Another is that the mos active diplomatic consuls of some of the great powers were absent, and those acting in their place deemed they were not in a position to move in the matter. Now that the truth is gradually being admitted by the very Spanish press of Madrid, and the nobler elements of the nation are deman ling the punishment of the malefactors -a demandthat will never be granted under the present constitution of Spain-the outside world will acknowledge the sacredness of the cause for which the Filipinos are fighting, and extend to them the sym.

be followed in Formesa. What pleased them 111., pp. 46-47)." In reply to any suggestance in the feeling is now ing the Hupeh coined silver dollars as a of sufficient solidity and promise very much, they said, was that the Dutch- tion that a claim by Great Britain for better not address his remarks on idiots to almost universal in favour of allowing the man conversed in three of the principal the Philippine Islands might at some Mr Balfour, as Mr Austen Chamberlain unfortunate Dunraven episode to sink into discounting the same in favour of Mexi- bargain. Great pains has been taken to prolong their stay in Java.—Japan Galette: were restored to her by England u..der on the side of the enemy it is better to be the Treaty of Paris, signed in 1763; polite.

Looken-ox, writes in the Japan Galette: but the reader who will give himself Everybody was getting comfortable now, made, and that any repetition of the annoy.

The native coined dollars are to be accept gone for evermore, and we live in a prosaic age when millions are not pledged for naught. Mr. Fukai, the Editor-in-Chief of the trouble to make a careful perusal and some members had already fallen ing circumstances which attended the last Mercury. Far East, has returned from his travels of that document will fit that there asleep, when everything was disturbed and race is now impossible. The report that Fukai was introduced by Sir Ernest Satow it with regard to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or to the Philippine The Sergeant-at-Arms or the Speaker or the Speaker or the Official swindling recognize in Belgium aught but a useful series of these popular races was actually cases. Three more official swindling recognize in Belgium aught but a useful series of these popular races was actually cases. Three more official swindling recognize in Belgium aught but a useful series of these popular races was actually cases. Mr Fukei letters of introduction to his Lecky, the "tame acquiescence" (of the a little change, so he called out what we on the point of commencement. The re- the 27th July, namely, Mesers Shigeshide present seem any reason to question the

offer me personal violence if I were to

THE RECENT EXPLOSION NEAR SHANGHAI.

Among the losses to the government through the recent fatal explosion at the artillery battalion camp near the Arsenal, are two fine Krupp field guns, 1,900 new yesterday, we received by last mail from pattern single-fired and magazine rifles and 120,000 cartridges for the lastnamed. Three ponies also were killed whose carcases were found floating in the river the next day, badly mangled, and a leg of one of the animals is reported by natives to have been found in Lunghua Pagoda village quite two miles from

of the deceased soldiers, mostly living in have the honour to submit herewith two Hunan, were sent on Tuesday by Mr | memoranda in which the particulars of the Huang, the Shanghai magistrate, informing case, and the attitude of the Chinese Authemof the catastrophe. Lieutenant-Colonel thorities regarding it, are fully set out. Liu, the Commandant of the battalion, was As the case itself has been already expected to leave for Nanking yesterday in | brought to the attention of His Excellency order to report personally to the Vicercy the British Minister by the Bank, it is there, in whose hands lies the fate of the un- unnecessary for this Chamber to deal furlucky officer. It will all depend as to how ther with it; what, however, concerns the the Viceroy Liu makes his report of the Chamber is the attitude assumed by the catastrophe to the Throne, the law in cases | Taotai of Shanghai who, as will be seen where government property has been des- in the memoranda, has definitely expressed troyed to the value of Tis. 3,000 being his inability, and has given his refusal, to death and confiscation of property of the enforce written contracts entered into by destruction took place. As Lieutenant- to say that the situation so created is of the Colonel Liu is a fellow-provincial of the gravest nature, striking as it does at all these good pastors had to be pacified, for losses sustained by the explosion the bal- parently eneavouring to establish, and they not exceeding a thousand taols .- N. O. Peking .- I have the honour to be, sir, your

### DEMAND FOR PORTLAND CEMENT | To Dr O. Stuebel, Consul-General for Ger-

IN JAPAN. We have on several occasions mentioned stigated by the Clerical element, have been | that the price of cement has considerably responsible for the non-pacification of the advanced because the supply was not equal insurrection, and defence of the integrity to the demand. The scarcity is now all the of Spain, and faming the flame still further | more felt and the import of foreign cement | by driving considerable numbers of people is daily increasing, while the Asano, Nip- Bank against its Chinese contributories in to the insurgent camp to swell their ranks, pon, Chuwo, Osaka, Oneda and Aichi | the matter of the latter's refusal to pay the not because they were in any way implicat- Coment works are at present extending their | calls due upon their shares, was carefully ed, but to avoid being atrociously outraged business. Those works taken altogether considered by the Committee of this Chamby so-called justice. As we have already are expected to turn out about 60 million | ber at their meeting on Monday last. stated, at the commencement of the robel- barrels (600 thousand 7) in this year show. lion they commenced to arrest wholesale ing an increase of 150 to 200 thousand gravity of the situation created by the vinces, and assassinated them. Some they year, yet some 200 thousand barrels will be effect say that they are unable, to enforce full details; others suffered martyrdom by which is now about to be started in single moment of any such contention as being submerged in water, or crucified, or Buzen province alone will turn out the Chinese are apparently endeavouring having their bodies pierced with sharp in- 180,000 barrels in year. The increase to establish, and they have asked that the struments, even in their most vital parts; of outturn in the various branch works matter be strongly represented to the others suffered injections of petroleum, or of that factory would roughly come Foreign Ministers at Peking. were burnt with red-hot irons or boiling to about 360,000 thousand barrels per The memoranda connected with the Even in the Civil Governor's offices in people think that when all these new dear sir, yours faithfully, which, for some time, did not reach the railways, construction of docks, water works and military and naval works, etc.

> THE LOSS OF THE ADEN. We have been permitted to make the

following extracts from a private letter received (says the N.-C. Dady News) from one of the ladies who were rescued :--We don't think much of Reuter's telegram. They say we were only on the that we shouted to each other to run accordance with Chinese custom in such for it and jump from the deck to the matters. saloon, as the stairs had been washed away. This we did, and then we were washed about in the saloon and were nearly drowned there. In the end, we got into ment property, is to be under the sole the bar which happened to be stronger control of Ha Yunmei, whose integrity and than the rest of the cabins, and twelve of signally high character have been fully reus stayed there in pitch darkness for three

washed away, and ran to the other side of 'The men on the R.I.M.S. Mayo saved us, Lieutenant Dobbin and Lieutenant Gold- will be in the position of having advanced smith. They are such dear, brave fellows, four-and-a-half million sterling without and you know risked their lives entirely for any quid pro quo but gentle Sheng's order them to come to us, because it was so on the rolling stock and rails. But a voluntary crew.

cabins on each side of the bar had been

washed away, and then we chanced being

Ito (Director of the Tahoku Post and Tele. correctness of their supposition. - P. and graph Office), Takeo Iwata (Export of the T. Times. Communication Section), and Gisaburo Oka (Manager of the Civil Affairs Bureau): It is said that three more high officials will be brought into the clutches of the law.

Moroury) that an enquiry into the cause Temperature of the death of the son of Mr J. Chami. Russidity bers had to come before the German Consul-General. We now learn that the German Court are about to take steps and the other powder which tentalised has been sont to Hongkong by the German Consul-General for analysis, and of a nource of continual financial embarrans. an indefinite period, and these perhaps, 'IT seems strange that a bank cachier probably the body of the child will have mont, and at the same time add consider. Six Thomas Esmond would fot an better should invent an already. Her has been achumed. The suggests therefore sen here blad a prominent bank species has as the Gorman Cours has been postprined.

THE BANK OF CHINA AND JAPAN LD., AND ITS CHINESE SHAREHOLDERS.

The following correspondence is published with the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee of the Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce :--

THE CHAMBER TO THE SENIOR CONSUL. Shanghai, 7th July.

. Sir, -- The attention of the Committee of this Chamber having been called to the case of the Bank of China and Japan, Ld., the scene of the explosion. Although against its Chinese contributories in the number of private houses were badly matter of the refusal of the latter to carry shaken and damaged no farther loss of life out their engagements as regards the payis reported so far. Telegrams to the relatives | ments of the calls due upon their shares,

The Committee of the Chamber therefore

obedient servant. C. J. Dudgeon, Vice Chairman.

many, Senior Consul.

THE CHAMBER TO THE BANK,

Shanghai, 7th July. Dear Sir,-Your letter of the 24th of June, in which is set out the case of your

The Committee are fully alive to the

water, beaten mercilessly with sticks and annum. Besides these, new works are Bank's case have been forwarded to the now in course of establishment. Some Consular Body at the same time.- I am.

C. J. DUDGEON. Vice-Chairman. To S. L. Darby, Esq., Acting Manager, Bank of China and Japan, Limited, Shanghai.

SHENG'S BELGIAN LOAN.

Information from various sources appears when the 'Shall-we-have-tea-now' Bill was | Civil Guard continue to be made tribunals | we see that in the event of the Osaka | to endorse the rumour, lately current, that Sheng Taotai's railway loan with Belgium has been brought to a successful issue. After hanging in the balances for a considerable time the contract has been, it is said, definitely 'signed, sealed and deliver-The main features of the contract, on the one hand, being that Belgium investe four-and-a-half millions sterling, at four per cent., for the purpose of constructing a line from Hankow to Peking, and that the said line will be surveyed and constructed wreck a week, instead of seventeen days, by Belgian experts. The main feature, very nearly three weeks, and then they on the other hand, is Shang (the Imperial say the captain and officers were washed Government of Chius not having the reoverboard, which is incorrect. The cap- motest connection with the deal), which tain was washed overboard, but the officers has been brought about in this wise. all went off in the boats . . . and left us, Instead of being, as hitherto, the Governand we had not a soul to refer to. The ment controller in chief of railways, H.E. captain went out of his mind before he Shang will, we understand, have no conwas washed away. . . . It was wonderful nection with any railway other than the we were not washed overboard. Heaps of Lu-kou-chiao-Hankow line, and he will people were washed away before our very retain his control of that line only in the eyes, and we only had a rail to hang on to, capacity of a private speculator and not as which we were washed away from, up and a Government representative. In this down the deck, almost every five minutes. capacity, and not as a state official, he has We hung on to that rail (when we could) received the Government's sanction to confrom 3 in the morning to 5 in the evening, clude a loan with Belgium, and to construct and then I was so exhausted and cold, the line; this permission being in strict

> - According to an Imperial edict, the railway from Peking to Tientain, and from Tientsin to Shan-hai-kwan, which is Governcognized during the construction of the days and a half. It was dark even in the Peking line, and whose appointment as tha day, as we had to keep a dead-light in the Government controller of the line is warmly port-hole. We only left that when the approved by his countrymen generally. This arrangement renders both the Government and Shang Taotai perfectly free and independent in the matter, and there can be no doubt as to the security of their respective. positions. The Belgian Syndicate, however, The Captain, de Berry, refused to most urbane smile, or possibly a lien dreadfully rough, and it was entirely a very shrewd guess is made that; while nor loans cast in the Chinese lap without so much as a what will yo give in exchange.

> > Hongkong Begister.

A rew days ago we stated (says the

To G. Proc. Lakes Diseases

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tained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon р.т. То-мовком. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

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Hongkong, August 16, 1897.

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H. A. RITCHIE. Superintendent. Hongkong, August 12, 1897.

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Hongkong, August 13, 1897.

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of observations made at the Imperial Rus. THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM. sian Observatory at Poking, from 1841 to 1880. "Notes on the Dutch Occupation of Formosa," by Mr. Geo. Phillips, contains New Books include a most generous and Burrough and Warrs' Tables) being added appreciative review of "The Divine Classic to the Hotel. of Nan-Hua," and the Notes and Queries are as usual very interesting. '-North-China

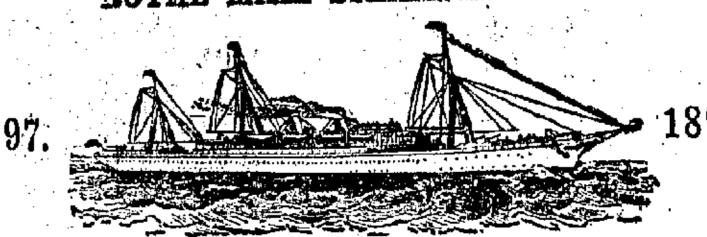
Daily News. 'The November-December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interest ting. The opening paper by Mr Herber.
A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chiness" treats of a question that must necesearily he of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries. Mr E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuen are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Dir F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be read with genuine interest by students of Chinose history A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which to each Floor, in charge of experienced "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number. -H.K. Daily Press.

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, Foothow, , , 180 —	福州州猪肉	Salmon, (Canton)
Beef sirloin & prime cut. catty 140 —	日本燃養內	Salt Fish,
, Corned, catty 140 -	酸牛肉	Skate,
, Romit, , 130 —	幾牛肉	Shrimps, Snapper,
,, Soup,	紛肉 牛肉耙	Soles,
Bullock's Brains, . per set 60 50	牛腦	Tench, Turbot,
Tongue fresh, each 250 —	牛脚 酸牛 <b>和</b>	Turtles, small, fr
,, corned ,, 310 —	牛頓	Whiting, White Bait,
, Heart, , 150 —	牛心 牛眉	
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Calves Head and Feet, set 500 -	牛仔頭脚 化與火腿	Chestnuts, Chines
Hams, American, lb. 320 — ,, Chinese, ,, 240 —	<b>化铁八腿</b> 金攀火腿	Carambola,
, English, Now, . ,, 440 —	來路火溫	Cocoanuts, Ground Nuts,
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,, Shanghai, . ,, 180 Mutton Chop, . ,, 180	平件骨	Lemons, China,
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", Kidneys, pair 70 —	猪腰 觜肝	", Green,
Pork, Chop, catty 180 —	推准	Olives, Red,
,, Corned, ,, — —	献着肉	Pine-apples,
,, Leg, ,, 190 — ,, Fat or Lard, ,, 150 —	<b>落跳</b>	Pears, (Tientsin),
Sheeps Head and Foet, set 350	<b>学</b>	Flum, Red,
, Heart, each 50 40	***	Pumelo, .
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Chicken, catty 220 —	趋仔	Veget
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Ducks,	E-HED	" Long,
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,, Duck		Brinjals, Green, . ,, Red, .
Geeze, , , 160 —	360	Brassica,
Hares, each — — Musk Deer,		Samboo Shoots,      . Sabbago, Chineso co
Partridges,		labbage,
Pigeons, , 150 —	Special Committee	lauliflower,
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	dian Corn, piece piece piece	10.7	-	與苯	stated that he	was mistaken. Mr Cla might have made some error	y rs
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THE MOUNT SINAI RAILWAY. MOUNTAIN LINE TO BE CONSTRUCTED TO THE SUMMIT OF THE FAMOUS

English company negotiating in Cairo and ping rushes of Indian frontier men. Lately Constantinople for the purpose of obtaining Major Toutée, of the French army, in a a concession to construct a line from Port | volume entitled Dahomé, Niger, Touareg, Said through the Arabian Peninsula to has expressed, as his experience of recent Bussorah, on the Persian Gulf.

Cairo correspondent states, is not to be the He records that 200 rounds fired by the limit of the company's activity. It also Dahomey troops put more men hors de intends to build a mountain railway, from | combat than 3,500 rounds with the new arm, one of the stations on its proposed line Although the latter, he says, may wound across Arabia, up Mount Sinai, so as to the man, perhaps mortally, he is often able give access to the summit of the historic to fight on for a time. The same submountain as easily as it can be obtained to ject has recently been treated by Lieut.the summit of the Rigi, or Filatus, or, as Colonel Mariani, of the Italian artillery, in it is stated will soon be the case, to the the Rivista di Artiglieria e Genio, who exobservatory at the top of Mont Blanc.

#### FORMOSAN ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS.

As the result of a recent Cabinet Meeting, instructions were issued to Governor-General Nogi from the Minister President and the Colonial Minister, and these instructions, having now obtained His Majesty's sanction, are reported to be on the point of being published in the Official Gazette. The outlines of these instructions effective result. With a range of 600 are as follow :--

1. Regarding the Public Works Depart. man, it will be well, he says, to be content. ment, discretion should be exercised in dis. | - Army and Namy Gazette. criminating between works which must be done at once and those that may be deferred until later. 2. Laws and Ordinances should aim at

brevity and clearness. 3. Special attention should be paid to and Potts write:—The market has ruled the protection of life and property, thus very quiet, and rates generally show a giving to the natives confidence and decline on the previous week's quotations. security.

4. Corruption among public officials should be exposed and rooted out. 5. Officials and people should be brought into close contact with each other. this end both the native dialect should be cultivated among officials and the national language among Formosans. 6. Means of communication and trans-

portation should be improved. In accomplishing this, the local government bodies should do as much as possible in their own jurisdiction instead of leaving everything to the central authority. 7. In the matter of taxation, the oldestablished usages of the Formesans should

be followed as far as practicable. 8. The natives should be treated with indulgence, and should be conciliated instead of coerced. The use of force and display of authority should be avoided.

HENRY CLAY'S POKER GAME. 'Olympian Springs were owned by

Harry of the West"-Henry Clay. He would not sell and he would not trade. Grandfather wanted the springs, mainly slight reaction, and have been sold at \$145, because they were pretty. It is a certainty \$144 and \$143 for the settlement. Luzons that he did not intend to drink any of the are quiet with sales at \$45. water. In the summer of 1840 Henry Clay came to Kentucky on his vacation. He said that he felt the need of the Olympian water. But beyond bathing in it nobody ever saw him fool with it. Three nights after his arrival a sociable game began. Even then there was a little hotel at the place, and the players occupied a room in the top story, where the clicking of the chips would not make envious the guests who were barred out. In the game were Mr Clay, my grandfather, Josiah Blackburn, John Hardin and Sam Clay, a cousin of the statesman. It was a "no limit " game. Those were days when gentlemen played with gentlemen and the vulgarism of "table stakes" was unknown. A man's word was as good as his bond \$441. and whatever he bet he was able to pay, The game began on Friday night and ran along with varying luck. They were all old hands and had the nerve to back their cards. at \$91. Hongkong Hotels have found At 12 o'clock Saturday night Blackburn quit, a little ahead. He had been married only two months and was afraid his young wife would think he was dead. Sunday morning at 9 o'clock some one tapped on the door. It was opened and a negro girl stood in the hall. She had a clean shirt in her hand, and on the bosom was a note from Hardin's wife: "For John Hardin, wherever he can be found.' The door was

Sunday afternoon the men were wan, teed for the climate. W. Robinson & Co. but nobody thought of quitting. The cards were dealt by Mr Clay. My grandfather came in for \$50. Hardin stayed. Sam HERR A. Rubricius, an Austrian chemist,

trimmed his nails. He shut up the knife quantity needed can easily be determined and slowly replaced it. He picked up the by a preliminary test. hand and glanced across the table at his gifted opponent, upon whose high forehead two drops of perspiration were glittering.

Clay thought long and hard. "I haven't tured our left wing. What shall we do? that much money here, of course," he said The Greek Commander-Fly with the at length, "and I don't think my bank account would stand a check for the amount. But the Springs' property here is valued at \$35,000. I will put it up. You are the first man that ever made me call." " What have you got?" my grandfather asked hurriedly, his iron nerve at last giving way. "It is your place first to state your hand," said Mr Clay lightly, "but no matter. Woman, woman, lovely woman! The full measure allowed to a good Massulman," and he placed four queens face upward on the table. In those days the sequent flush was not played. My grandfather, with a sigh of relief for himself and of regret for a gallant adversary, showed what was called an "invincible" four kings and an ace.

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HONGKONG SHARE MARKET. In their weekly share report, dated Hongkong, 17th August, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly

Banks.—Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have changed hands at 187 per cent premium, and at 178 per cent. premium ex the dividend of £1 5/- @ ex 1/113=812.63 per share paid on the 16th instant, and are still obtainable. The London quotation is £42. National Bank of Chinas remain unchanged.

Marine Insurances. - Unions have been fixed for October delivery at \$2371. China Traders are wanted at \$78 but are not obtainable. Straits have been sold at \$173 and North Chinas at Tis. 200.

Fire Insurances. Hongkong Fires have been sold in small lots at \$360, and are still in demand. China Fires have been done at \$106, and are offering at the rate. Shipping.-Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboats have been sold at \$331, \$331 and 833, and close quiet at the latter rate. Indo-Chinas are offering from the North at \$491. China and Manilas are a shade easier and can be bought at \$76. Douglas Steamship shares sold at \$67, but are again weaker and obtainable at \$664.

Refineries. - China Sugars have suffered a

Mining.—Punjoms have again suffered a decline, and have been seld at \$6 and \$5], closing steady at the latter rate. New Balmoral Preference have been done at \$1.70 and \$1.75. Ranbs have had another weak holders in Singapore, and have been done at various rates down to \$18, closing much firmer with sales and buyers at \$187. Olivers B have been sold at 86 and \$5.80, and more are wanted at latter rate. Great 'Easterns are obtainable at par.

Docks, Wharves and Godowns .- Hong. kong and Whampoa Docks sold at 238 per cent premium and are still in the market. Wanchais have been placed at \$431 and

Lands, Hotels and Buildings, - Hongkong Lands have been negotiated at \$75 and \$74. Humphreys' Estate have been done buyers at \$50.

Miscellaneous.—Green Islands have ruled slightly easier, the old our new have been done at \$44½, and the new at \$14½. A. S. Watsons have been negotiated at \$12.50. Electrics have been taken off the market at 89:50. Cotton Mills are all a shade easier, and are obtainable at quotations.

closed and play resumed. Hardin changed 30 New Pranos just arrived; best makers. Also Cabin and Transposing Pianos, guaran-

Clay dropped out. Henry Clay stayed. recommends a new method for the preven-My grandfather took one card, Hardin tion or removal of boiler incrustation which drew two; Mr Clay stood pat. My grand- has furnished remarkably good results durfather bet \$250; Hardin saw it. Clay ing the year that it has been in use at Anina raised it \$250. My grandfather raised and in other localities in Austria-Hungary. it 8500. Hardin dropped out Mr Clay To the feed-water there is added a mixraised back for \$1,000. My grandfather ture consisting of 90 per cent of soluble Editorial Announcement. said he was corry for him, and came chromates and 10 per cent of sode. These Amoy Emigration to the Straits. back with an elevation of \$2,500. Mr salts transform the more or less soluble The ancient Coinage of China, Clay remarked that it pained him to carbonates contained by the water into solrob an old and tried friend, particularly uble chromates, which settle in the state of one on whose assistance he counted in the slime without adhering to the walls of the fall election, but he was compelled to put boiler, and the latter can easily be cleaned up \$5,000 more, that he knew more about by washing. The beneficial effect of the poker than any man in the world. My process will be felt even in the case of grandfather bet him another \$5,000 in ex- boilers which are already lined with thick cess, that he was mistaken. Mr Clay layers of incrustation, for these will be Coast about Amoy Harbour, Currents, &c. Mr W. J. Canter stated that he might have made some errors gradually reduced and transformed into Notes and Quiries,of politics, although he could not recall slime. On an average one-tenth of an them just then, but he had never yet over ounce of the mixture should be added to judged a hand. That meant another boost thirty-five cubic feet of water. For an of \$5,000. My grandfather sighed pit- ordinary boiler three or four ounces per day Collectanea Bibliographica. would be sufficient. Where water with Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c. He laid down his hand, took a small very high lime contents is being used the To Contributors. penknife from his pocket and carefully dose should be increased a little; the exact

He was a Bird : Greek Aid (charging "I raise you \$35,000," he said gravely. Mr furiously up, —General, the enemy has cap-

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